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| <b>PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)</b>   |   | <b>Docket Number (Optional)</b><br>FA 1051 US NA |   |           |   |          |   |          |  |          |  |          |                        |                                      |  |   |
| In re Application of Kiessling et al.   |   |  |   |           |   |          |   |          |  |          |  |          |                        |                                      |  |   |
| Application Number 10/032,858   |   | Filed December 27, 2001                          |   |           |   |          |   |          |  |          |  |          |                        |                                      |  |   |
| For Coating Composition for Metal Conductors and Coating Process Involving the Use Thereof  |   |  |   |           |   |          |   |          |  |          |  |          |                        |                                      |  |   |
| Group Art Unit<br>1774  | Examiner<br>J. Gray                       |  |   |           |   |          |   |          |  |          |  |          |                        |                                      |  |   |
| <p>This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.</p> <p>The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):</p> <table><tr><td><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))</td><td>\$ 110.00</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr><tr><td><input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))</td><td>\$ _____</td></tr></table> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$ _____.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number <u>04-1928</u>.</p> <p>I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.</p> <p>I am the <input type="checkbox"/> applicant/inventor.</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71<br/>Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent of record.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).<br/>Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a). <u>22,384</u>.</p> <p><b>WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.</b></p> <table><tr><td><u>2/13/04</u><br/>Date</td><td><u>Hilmar L. Fricke</u><br/>Signature</td></tr><tr><td></td><td>Hilmar L. Fricke<br/>Typed or printed name</td></tr></table> <p>NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> *Total of 2 forms are submitted.</p> |   |  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1)) | \$ 110.00 | <input type="checkbox"/> Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2)) | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3)) | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4)) | \$ _____ | <input type="checkbox"/> Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5)) | \$ _____ | <u>2/13/04</u><br>Date | <u>Hilmar L. Fricke</u><br>Signature |  | Hilmar L. Fricke<br>Typed or printed name |
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In re Application of:

KIESSLING ET AL.

CASE NO: FA 1051 US NA

SERIAL NO: 10/032,858

GROUP ART UNIT: 1774

FILED: DECEMBER 27, 2001

EXAMINER: J. GRAY

FOR: COATING COMPOSITION FOR  
METAL CONDUCTORS AND COATING  
PROCESS INVOLVING THE USE  
THEREOF

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136**

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Sir:

It is hereby requested that the period for responding to the outstanding Office Action be extended one month from January 17, 2004, to February 17, 2004, by the filing of this Petition and fee payment.

The petition fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17) is believed to be \$110.00 for a one-month extension for a large entity. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the fee of \$110.00 and any fee deficiency, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 04-1928. A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Se. No. 10/032,858  
Docket No. FA 1051 US NA

If any extensions of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136 other than those provided herewith are required to prevent abandonment of the present patent application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned.

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